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- 1. THAILAND
- 2. CNTRY CODE: 549
- 3. SER.NO: 0144000
- 4. EAST ASIA INTERNATIONAL CO., LTD.
- 4A. CODE: K
- 5. 142 SATHORN NUA ROAD
- 6. BANGKOK, THAILAND
- 7. ESTABL: 1967
- 8. EMPL: 60
- 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM
- 10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
- 11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN THE FOLLOWING FOREIGN AREAS LISTED

IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE: LOCAL

- 12. RPT.DATE: 04/77
- 13A. 36290/135. IMP. AGT.DIST. OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT
- 13B. 35316/135. IMP.AGT.DIST. OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT
- 13C. 36210/135. IMP.AGT.DIST. OF GENERATING SETS
- 13D. 36620/135. IMP.AGT.DIST. OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT
- 13E. 36611/9. MFR. OF SWITCHBOARDS
- 13F. 35316/9. MFR. OF CONCRETE MIXERS

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- 14. CONTACT: MR. SANGUAN AHSAVALIT TITLE: MANAGING DIRECTOR
- 15. CABLE: ESIAINCO
- 16. TELEX: NA
- 17. TEL.2336202-3
- 18. FINANCIAL REFS: LAEMTHONG BANK LTD., 289 SURIWONGSE ROAD,
- BANGKOK; BANQUE DE L'INDOCHINE, 140 WIRELESS ROAD, BANGKOK.
- 19. TRADE REFS: WYCO TOOL CO., LTD., 4601 W. ADDISON

STREET, CHICAGO, ILL.60641

20. AGENCY REP: WYCO TOOL CO., LTD., CHICAGO, ILL 60641, CONCRETE VIBRATORS; WILLIAMS & LANE, INC., BERKELEY, CALIF., GENERATORS, ACQ: 1971; LAUR. KNUDSEN - NES, COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT; E.T.S. (GENERATOR) LTD., SURREY, ENGLAND, GENERATORS: METEX, HELSINKI 10, FINLAND, ELECTRIC MOTOR; ITT-METRIC, FRANCE, ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT; WAUKESHA DRESSER INDUSTRIES INC., WAUKESHA, WIS. 53136, MARINE ENGINES, ACQ: 1977; KATO ENG. CO., 1467 FIRST AVE. N., MANKATO, MINN.56001, GENERATORS. 21. SUBJECT FIRM WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1967 AS A CORPORATION WITH AN AUTHORIZED CAPITAL OF US\$100,000. IT ACTS AS IMPORTER AND DEALER OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, GENERATORS AND ELECTRONIC FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM (25 PERCENT), DEMARK (20 PERCENT), WEST GERMANY (20 PERCENT), FINLAND (20 PERCENT), U.S. (10 PERCENT) AND FRANCE (5 PERCENT) FOR SALE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND PRIVATE END-USERS. IT ALSO MANUFACTURES AND ASSEMBLES 200 SWITCHBOARDS AND 100 CONCRETE MIXERS ANNUALLY, FIRM'S TOTAL INVESTMENT IN CAPITAL MACHINERY IS REQPORTED TO BE US\$15,000. ITS OFFICES OCCUPY A LEASED 2-STORY BUILDING OF 300 SQ.METERS WITH A DISPLAY SPACE OF 50 SQ.METERS LOCATED IN A BUSINESS AREA OF BANGKOK. IT ALSO HAS A WORKSHOP AND WAREHOUSE OF ABOUT 300 SQ.METERS. IT EMPLOYS 65 PEOPLE INCLUDING 20 SALESMEN AND ITS ANNUAL TURNOVER IN 1976 WAS REPORTED TO BE US\$1,400,000. FIRM IS A MEMBER OF THE THAI AND CHINESE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE IN THAILAND, AND IS ASSOCIATED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS: SECO CO., LTD. (AN IMPORTER OF UNCLASSIFIED

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MARINE ENGINES AND HEAVY CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY);
CHAROENKRUNG ENGINEERING CO. LTD. (IMPORTER OF MACHINE TOOLS); F.A. ASIATIC ENGINEERING CO. LTD. (IMPORTER OF LIGHT MACHINERY). EAST ASIA INTERNATIONAL IS WELL REGARDED IN LOCAL BUSINESS AND BANKING CIRCLES AND IS CONSIDERED TO BE A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

22. PREPARED BY: SATHIT/SOMSAK APPROVED BY: JAMES H. SAVERY AT: AMEMBASSY BANGKOK
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